You don't understand, sire. The national debt isn't what the people owe you ...

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... and the winner of the national lottery is... The Defense Department !

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Oh, tax and spend,
tax and spend.
What have you
been up to?
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The king of France is visiting tomorrow. Do you boys know 'Louie, Louie'?
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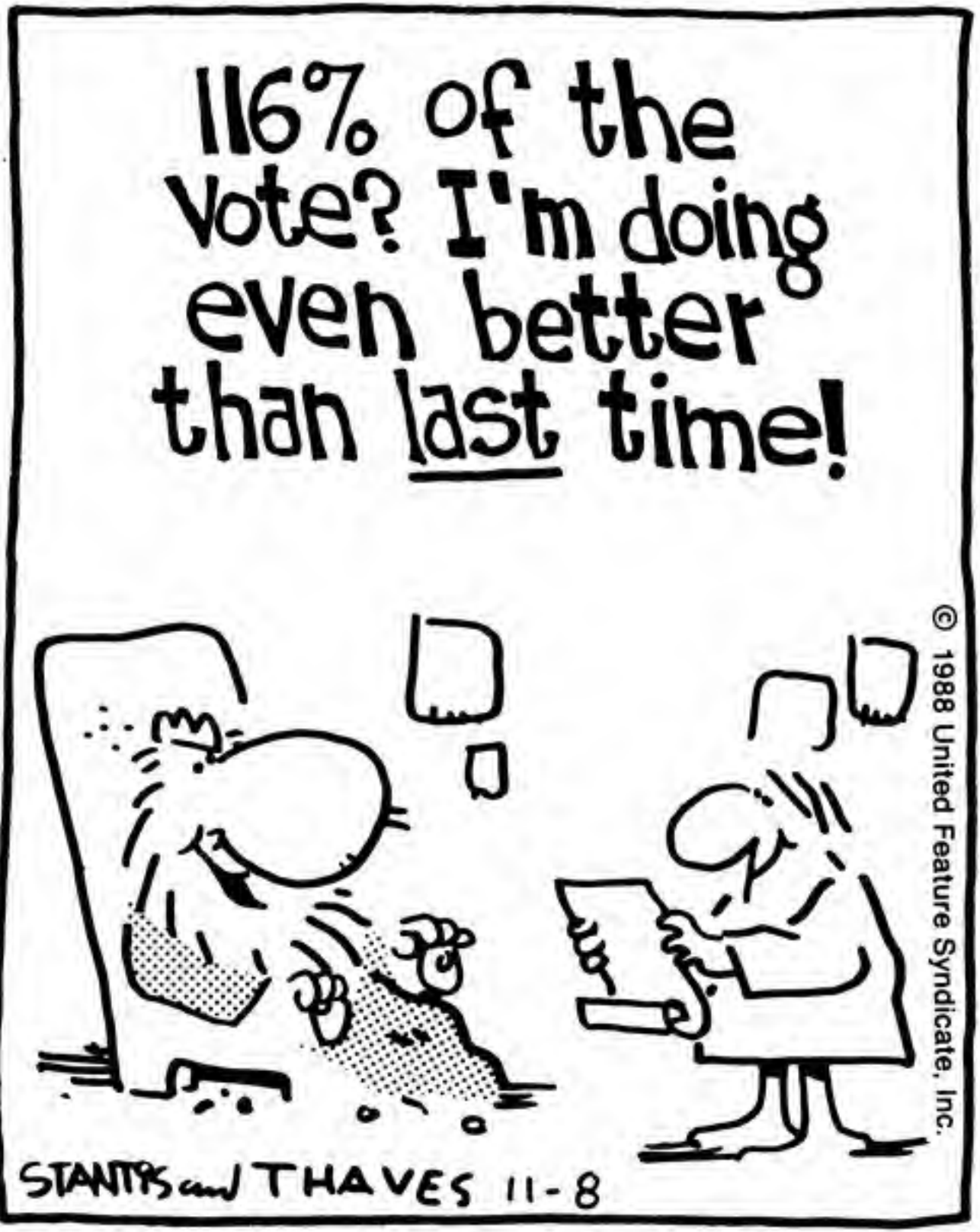
116% of the vote? I'm doing even better than last time!
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I don't mind your mother coming for a few days, but I wish she wouldn't take photographs of our defense installations...

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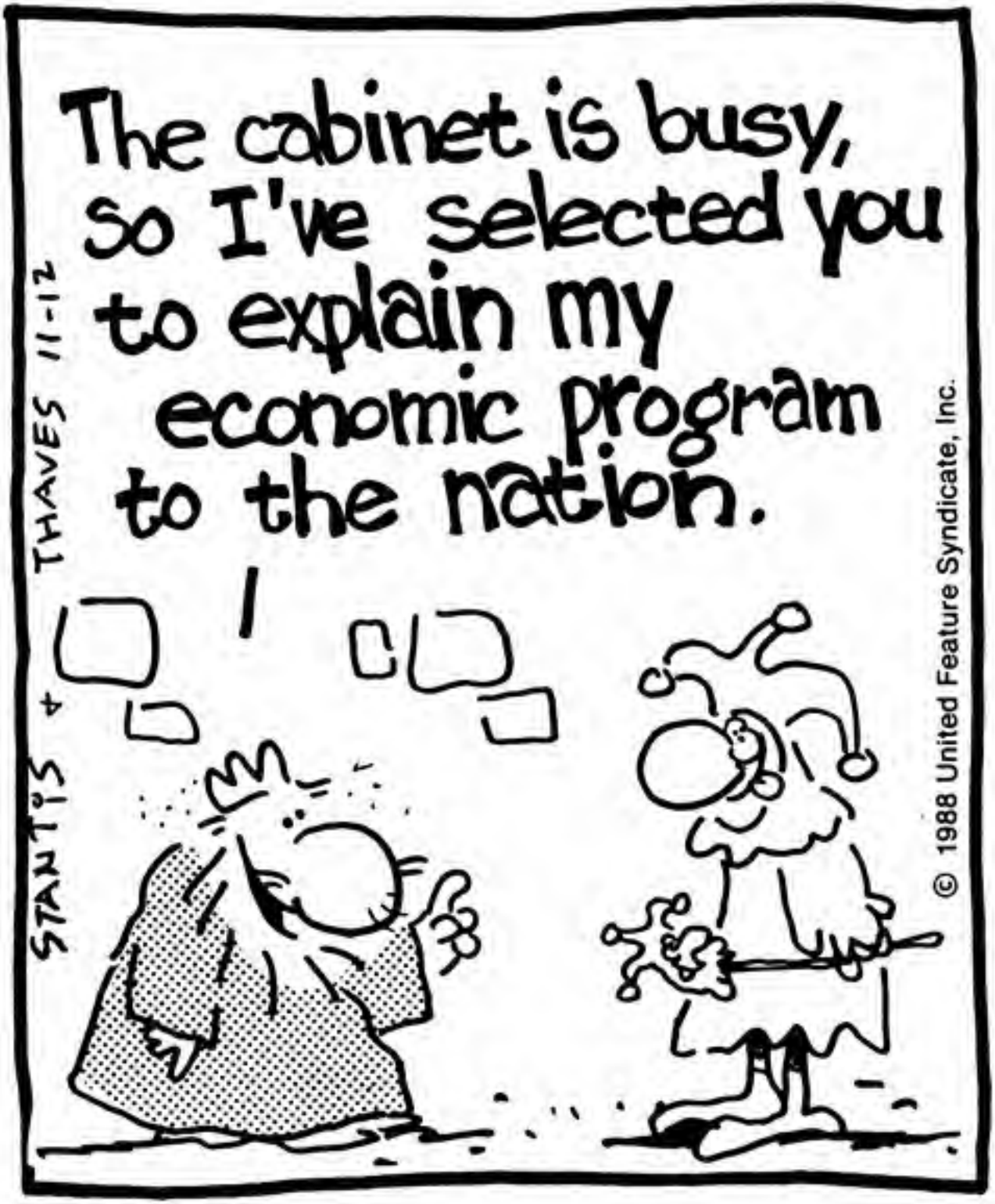
The cabinet is busy, so I've selected you to explain my economic program to the nation.
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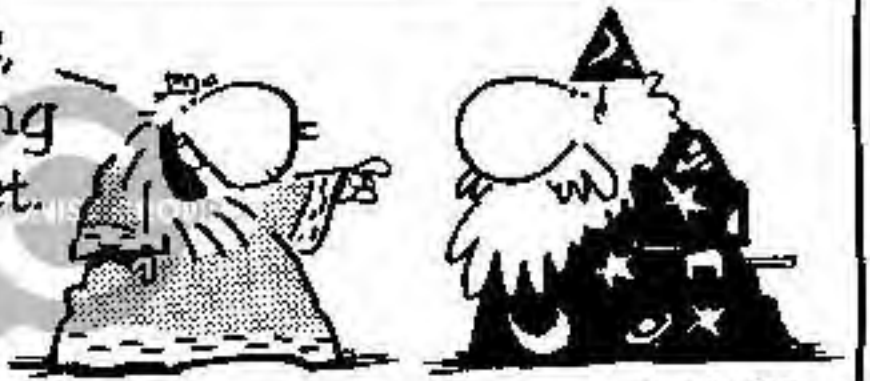
I'm going to cut taxes, increase social spending and balance the budget. All you have to do is turn rocks into gold



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... and he's the guy who's going to balance the budget?!
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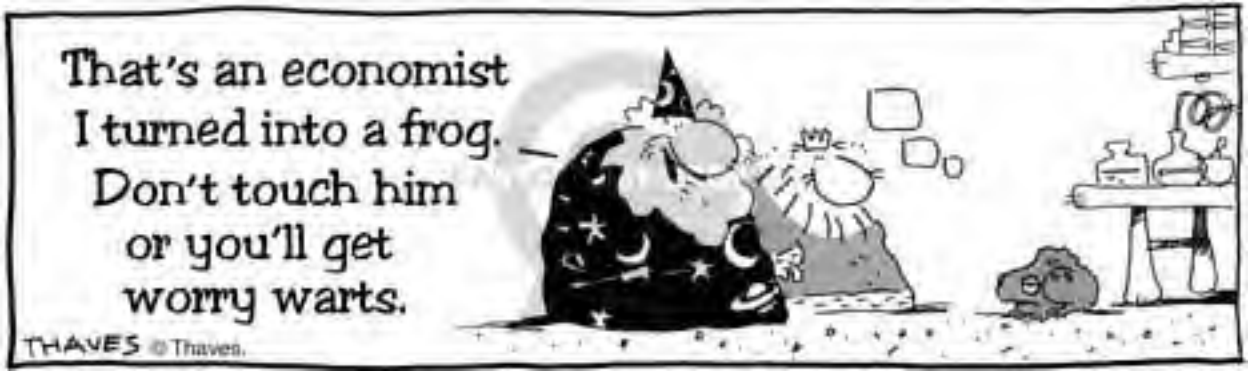
That's an economist I turned into a frog. Don't touch him or you'll get worry warts.
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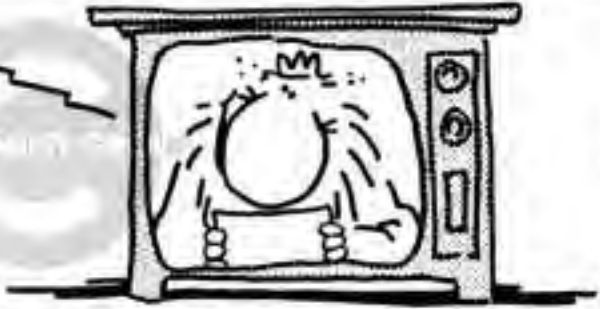
I'm determined to cut government spending! No anchovies!!!
GINO'S PIZZA
THAVES © Thaves.

Will you guys get the lead out? The bank says I'm overdrawn again!
ROYAL MINT
THAVES © Thaves.

I'll need a small tax increase. I've been unsure of myself lately, so I need to hire some yes-men.



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He's not all bad ... At least he doesn't have any standards of morality to impose on the people.
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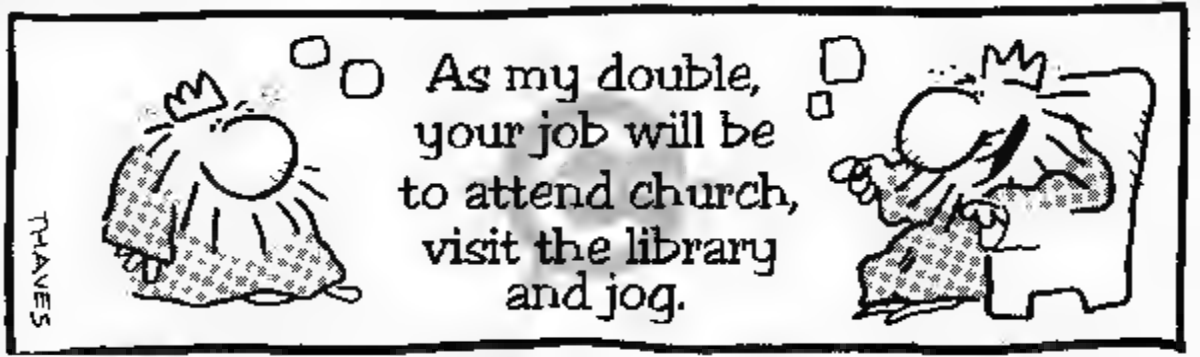
GIRLZ

Oh-oh....
Henry VIII wants
me to fix
him up for
Saturday night.
THAVES


As my double, your job will be to attend church, visit the library and jog.
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The King will now take questions from the press.
PRESS
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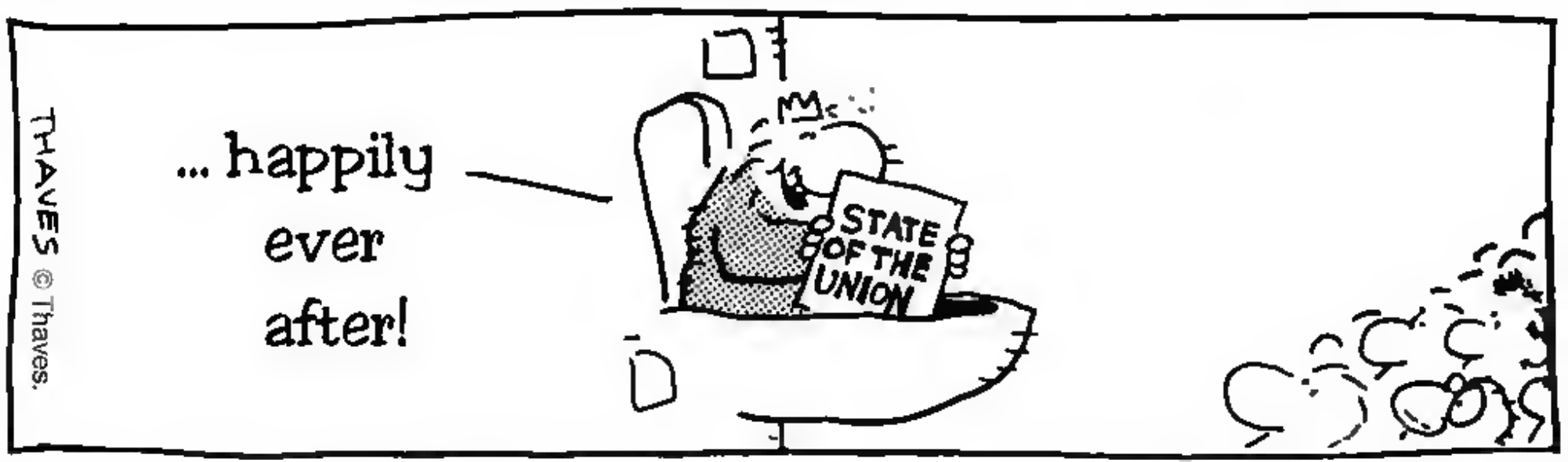
... happily ever after!
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